

Cal OES Daily Situation Report

May 16, 2021



California Air Guard aircraft at Modular Airborne Fire Fighting System (MAFFS) training.

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National Terrorism Advisory System



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SITUATION SUMMARY

Cal OES Activation Status

State Operations Center	Inland Region EOC	Coastal Region EOC	Southern Region EOC
Level 1	Normal Operations	Normal Operations	Normal Operations

Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19)

The Cal OES State Operations Center (SOC) activated 03/02/20 at 0700 hours in support of the California Department of Public Health (CDPH) Medical Health Coordination Center's (MHCC) statewide response to COVID-19. Cal OES will continue to provide resource coordination for the COVID-19 event, as well as situation status reporting and advance planning across multiple areas.

Situation Overview

- **California State of Emergency Proclamation**

On 03/04/20, Governor Gavin Newsom declared a State of Emergency for California, as a result of the global COVID-19 outbreak that began in December 2019, to make additional resources available, formalize emergency actions already underway across multiple state agencies and departments, and help the state prepare for broader spread of COVID-19.

- **Global Health Advisory**

On 08/06/20, in close coordination with the U.S. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), the Department of State lifted the Global Level 4 Health Advisory. The Global Advisory, initially put in place on 03/19/20, advised U.S. citizens to avoid all international travel due to the global impact of COVID-19. For more information visit: <https://www.state.gov/>

- **State Executive Order N-33-20**

On 08/28/20, California introduced a blueprint for reducing COVID-19 in the state with revised criteria for loosening and tightening restrictions on activities by counties. Visit [Blueprint for a Safer Economy](#) for more information and to check the status of a county. This blueprint included a health equity metric to be used along with other metrics to determine a county's tier. The purpose of [Equity Metric](#) is to ensure California reopens its economy safely by reducing disease transmission in all communities.

- **CDPH Statewide Travel Advisory**

As of 04/02/21, CDPH and the CDC recommend delaying travel until persons are fully vaccinated. For more information visit: <https://www.cdph.ca.gov/Programs/CID/DCDC/Pages/COVID-19/Travel-Advisory.aspx>

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Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19) (Continued)

On 04/21/21, the State Operations Center (SOC) changed the reporting tempo for the COVID-19 Sit Stat and Trifold Reports from daily to once a week. Updated reports can be expected every Tuesday of each week until further notice.

Confirmed Global COVID-19 Cases – Per Worldometers COVID-19 Live Updates as of 05/11/21 at 1100 hours:

- 160,109,969 (+5,338,312) total confirmed cases
- 3,325,360 (+90,396) total deaths

Confirmed United States COVID-19 Case – Per Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) as of 05/11/21 at 1000 hours:

- 32,543,257 (+275,299) total confirmed cases
- 578,945 (+4,266) total deaths

Confirmed California COVID-19 Cases - Per Medical Health Coordination Center as of 05/10/21 at 1100 hours:

- 3,656,967 (+11,626) total confirmed cases

COVID-19 Vaccines Administered – Per Vaccine Task Force as of 05/10/21 at 2359 hours:

- 32,851,089 (+2,150,434) vaccines administered
- Please see attached California Health & Human Services (CHHS) Agency / Cal OES Joint Situation Report for additional details

Cal OES INLAND REGION

- Nothing significant to report.

Cal OES COASTAL REGION

Container Vessel Fire, Offshore, Monterey County

On 05/14/21 at 0804 hours, the California State Warning Center (CSWC) was notified by Kevin Williamson of Witt O'Briens of an engine room fire on the container Vessel NYK Delphinus- Liberia.

A conference call led by the USCG was held on 05/15/21, 1800 hours.

- A tow line was successfully connected to the vessel on 05/15/21 1149 hours
- A Naval Engineer determined that the fire temperature has drastically decreased using thermal technology.
 - The status of the fire will be determined when salvage crews can make entry into the engine room.
 - Structural integrity will be inspected before moving the vessel.
 - The crew quarters and the engine room will be ventilated before moving the vessel.
- Potable water and food is being loaded onto the ship for the crew and salvage teams.
- The salvage team is planning to move the ship into port Tuesday or early Wednesday.
- The vessel plans on being offshore of the San Francisco Golden Gate during the late afternoon on 05/16/21
- Bad weather forecast to begin on 05/19/21

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Cal OES COASTAL REGION

Container Vessel Fire, Offshore, Monterey County (Continued)

- The vessel is proceeding north in an effort to stay out of the marine sanctuary
- Tug Scorpions is in bound to pick up a fire team and board the vessel this afternoon 05/16/21
- Inspecting and fixing Generator # 2 is a top priority on the vessel to get electricity and potable water working again
- The next conference call is set for 1600 on 05/16/21
- Vessel is without power and is drifting at 1.5 knots south at 192 degrees.
 - Currently located in international waters, 36 21.5 N 122 53.3 W
 - Approximately 48 miles west of Monterey County, 8 miles west of Monterey Bay Sanctuary.
 - There is no threat of a collision to the north.
- Crew activated CO2 System, emergency power was activated and caused a blackout situation. Another bank of CO2 cylinder was dispensed in engine room.
 - Another 100 cylinders of CO2 is available.
 - Emergency generators have 8 – 10 hours of fuel remaining.
 - 5-gallon containers are being used to refuel generators.
- There is no release of hazardous materials and no report of injuries.
 - Manifest Lift available.
 - 1,027 containers on board.
 - 51 are hazmat, the rest are reefers.
 - 646,656 gallons of Fuel Oil on board the vessel.
 - 132,086 gallons of Diesel on board the vessel.
- There are communication issues with the vessel's Ship Master.
- All 24 personnel on board are safe and accounted for and have mustered on the portside.
- NYK has another vessel 6 miles away with additional resources and assets.
- Vessel is in contact with salvage firefighting contractor, Resolve Marine.
- Reporting Party has briefed the United States Coast Guard (USCG).
- USCG's Plan of Action is unknown.
 - USCG requesting that they have a strike team sent to the vessel who will also take satellite phones to communicate with the ship's Master.
 - Vessel will be towed via tug control tomorrow morning.
 - Return the vessel to Port of Oakland.
- Four tugs will be on scene by the morning of 05/15/21.
- CSWC personnel performed notifications per SOP.
- Maritime Bulletin has released a small paragraph and small photo of vessel.
- USCG San Francisco (USCG SF) is establishing a Unified Command.

Activations

- Monterey County Emergency Operations Center (EOC) is not activated. The county is aware and monitoring the event.



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Container Vessel Fire, Offshore, Monterey County (Continued)

Deployments

- 1 Cal OES Maritime is in contact with all parties and on scene USCG SF Base.
- 2 Cal OES Fire & Rescue Branch Assistant Chiefs
- 1 Cal OES Coastal Region Emergency Services Coordinator deployed to USCG SF Base

Resources Assigned

- USCG Vessels assisting with this incident:
 - Cutter Sockeye – On Scene – 87 ft – standing by to assist if needed.
 - Will remain overnight but will leave by 05/15/21 at 1200 hours.
 - Mont – On Scene – 47 ft
- USCG Aircraft assisting with this incident:
 - USCG Helicopter dropped off P150, crew attempted to use but needed hose extension.
 - USCG C27 Fixed Wing on site, fixed eyes on situation. Unknown if aircraft has heat sensing capability, will try to bring drones with heat sensing capability.
- Civilian Tugs assisting with the incident:
 - Jamie Ann - Fos Resolve - On Scene - tow 90 ft – Has laid hoses and preparing to flow water.
 - Delta Lindsay - Resolve - ETA 1800 hours – tow
 - Delta Deanna - Resolve - ETA 2000 hours – tow
 - Sara Arevick - American Navigation - On Scene – tow
 - Sea Reliance - Crowley - On Scene – tug
 - OSV Adel Louie - Point Hueneme - ETA TBD En Route – Has requested firefighting equipment onboard and additional fuel for generators
 - Scorpio - Westar - Tug - Departing San Francisco at 2030 hours
- Other Vessels Assisting:
 - Osro – NRC – On Scene – Standing by in port in case pollution is released

Cal OES SOUTHERN REGION

- Nothing significant to report.

PUBLIC SAFETY POWER SHUTOFF (PSPS) SUMMARY

PSPS Status		
PG&E	SCE	SDG&E
Normal Operations	Normal Operations	Normal Operations

Pacific Gas & Electric (PG&E)

- Nothing significant to report.

Southern California Edison (SCE)

- Nothing significant to report.

San Diego Gas & Electric (SDG&E)

- Nothing significant to report.

FIRE ACTIVITY

Cal OES Fire Preparedness Levels

National	Northern California	Southern California
Preparedness Level 2	Preparedness Level 1	Preparedness Level 2
	Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode: 2	Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode: 2

Note: The National and Regional Preparedness Levels are maintained by the National Multi-Agency Coordination (MAC) Group and are separate from Cal OES activation levels.

Cal OES Fire Missions

2019-FIRE-402: California National Guard (CNG) personnel assigned to fuel reduction efforts in CAL FIRE Units: Shasta/Trinity, Nevada/Yuba/Placer, San Benito/Monterey and Fresno/Kings.

- 5 CNG 20-person Hand Crew to support CAL FIRE (to include all necessary personnel, support, transportation and materials).
- 65 additional soldiers to be trained and ready to backfill.
- Assigned to fuel reduction efforts in SHU, NEU, BEU, and FKU (1 crew in each unit with the exception of 2 crews in FKU).

Palisades Incident, Wildland Fire, Los Angeles County

Location: 1807 Michael Lane , Topanga Canyon

Local DPA, LRA, Los Angeles County

- 750 – 835 acres grass and brush, 0% contained
- Cal OES FDC and Region 1 AC monitoring
- Structure Threat
- **Evacuation Orders:** Topanga Canyon from Mulholland Drive to SR-1 Pacific Coast Highway. Approximately 500 individuals affected.
- **Road Closures:** SR-27 Topanga Canyon Road from Mulholland to SR-1 Pacific Coast Highway.

MAJOR ROAD / HIGHWAY / BRIDGE CLOSURES

Lifeline Route Closures

Northern California	Central California	Southern California
No Lifeline Route Closures	No Lifeline Route Closures	No Lifeline Route Closures

Lifeline Routes:

- [None reported](#)

Non-Lifeline Routes:

- Click [here](#) for a list of current road closures.

Wildfire Closures:

- [Los Angeles County: SR 27 is closed from the Junction of SR 1 to Mulholland Dr. due to a brush fire. Estimated time of reopening: Unknown](#)

Emergency Center Activations:

- Please see attached California Health & Human Services (CHHS) Agency / Cal OES Joint Situation Report for additional details.

Interactive Travel Forecast Map Based on Weather Conditions Provided by National Weather Service (Prototype)

- <http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/wrh/travel/?wfo=mtr>



Click on the Caltrans Logo to check
current Hwy. conditions.
You can also call 1-800-427-7623 for
current Hwy. conditions.



CALIFORNIA 911 SYSTEM

California 911 Outages

Northern California	Central California	Southern California
No 911 Outages	No 911 Outages	No 911 Outages

9-1-1 Outage/Remote/Community Isolation

- **Initial:** Charter Communications has reported a Community Isolation affecting 1,387 VoIP users in the Victorville area (Affected zip codes: 92392). The cause of the outage is unknown at this time.
- Time Outage Started: 05/16/2021 1443 hours
- Time Outage Reported: 05/16/2021 1735 hours
- Time of Resolution/Restoration: Estimated Time of Restoration 05/16/2021 2331 hours
- Total Outage Time: TBD
- Jurisdiction(s) Affected: San Bernardino County Sheriff (Victorville/Desert)
- Reason For Outage: Unknown
- Wireless Users Impacted: No
- Wireline Users Impacted: No
- VoIP Users Impacted: Yes, 1,387 users affected
- Updates will be provided as they are made available.

Service Interruptions

- None reported

WEATHER OF CONCERN

NORTHERN CALIFORNIA

- [Nothing significant to report.](#)

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA

- Nothing significant to report.

Weather Advisories, Watches, and Warnings currently active in California:

<http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/hazardSummary/?state=ca>

Active Weather Warnings, Watches and Advisories by County:

<http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/hazardSummary/?state=ca&bycounty=1>

WEATHER KEY POINTS

05/16/21 - 05/22/21

Sunday-Saturday

- Scattered showers and thunderstorms expected Sunday and Monday across the central and northern Sierras, as well as an isolated thunderstorm possible across Inyo County.
 - Locally gusty winds, brief downpours, and small hail are possible with any stronger storms
 - Lightning from any storms could lead to a few new fire starts, though that threat will be mitigated if brief heavier rainfall occur with thunderstorms
- Wind advisories are in effect for portions of inland southern California through Sunday night
 - West winds of 25 to 35 mph with gusts 40 to 60 mph are expected through Sunday night for the Riverside and San Diego County Mountain Slopes and Deserts, and Apple, Lucerne and Coachella Valley
- Periods of gusty winds are expected across the southern California mountains through much of next week, leading to elevated fire weather conditions at times
- Cooler temperatures and unsettled weather is expected to develop late week, decreasing the threat of fire weather conditions toward the end of the week



CALIFORNIA WEATHER IMPACTS

05/16/21 - 05/22/21

<u>Hazards / Day</u>	SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
Non-Thunderstorm Damaging Winds	Southern	Southern (Mountains)	Southern (Mountains)	Southern (Mountains)	Southern (Mountains)		
Snow							
Coastal Flooding							
River Flooding							
Thunderstorms (Wind / Hail / Tornadoes)	Inland						
Fire Weather (Low Humidity / Wind / Dry Thunderstorms)	Inland/ Southern	Southern	Southern	Southern	Southern		
Heat Risk							
Heavy Rain/Flash Flooding/ Debris Flow							
Cold							



No Impacts



Minimal Impacts



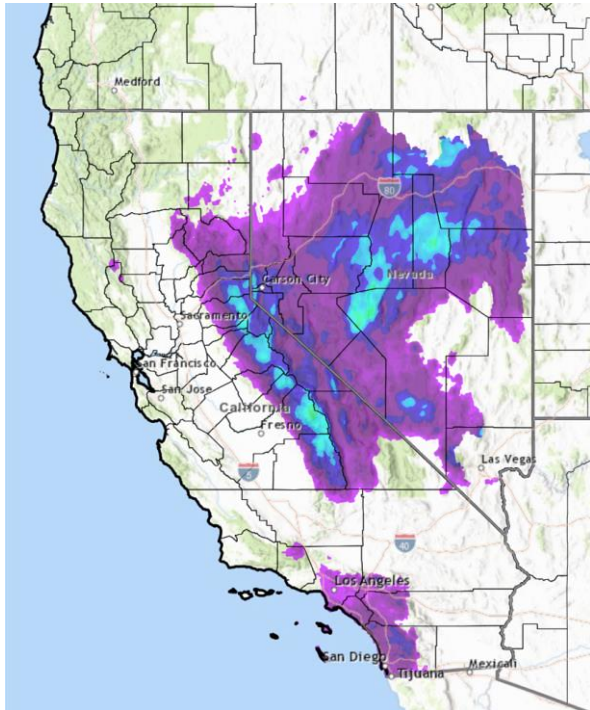
Moderate Impacts



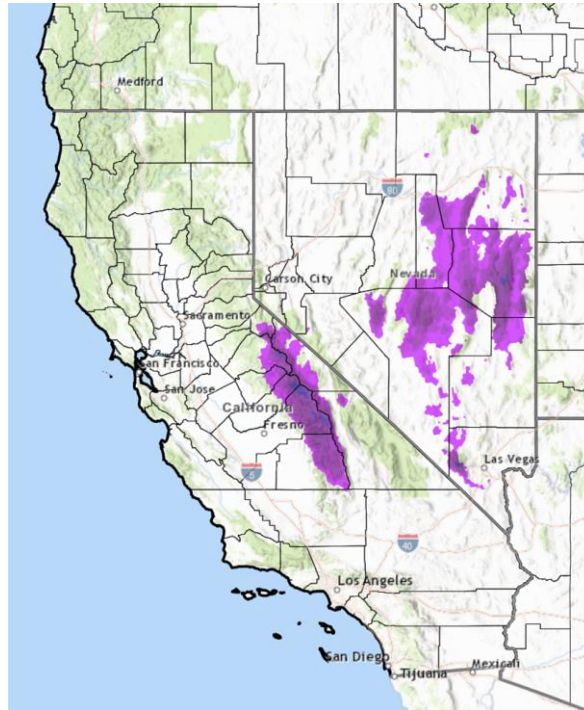
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PRECIPITATION FORECAST

05/16/21 - 05/18/21



Sunday

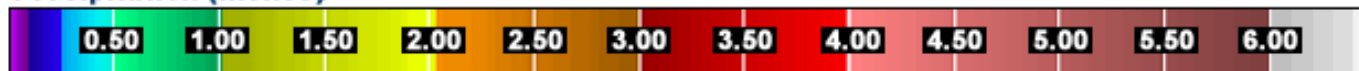


Monday



Tuesday

Precipitation (inches)



WEATHER OUTLOOK

05/21/21 - 05/29/21

6-10 Day Outlook (May 21 – May 25)

Temperatures

- Below normal temperatures are favored statewide

Precipitation

- Near normal precipitation is favored across much of the state, except across the CA/OR border, where above normal precipitation is slightly favored

8-14 Day Outlook (May 23 – May 29)

Temperatures

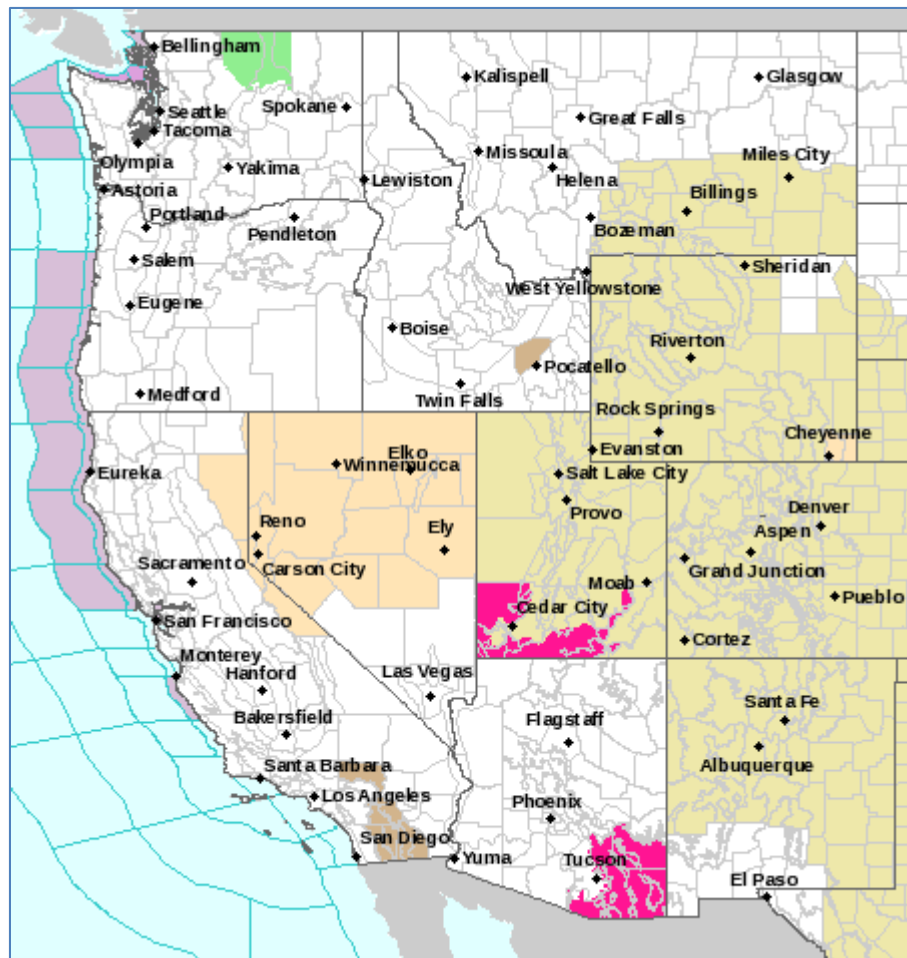
- Below normal temperatures are slightly favored statewide

Precipitation

- Below normal precipitation is favored for northern and central California, with near normal precipitation favored across southern California



WEATHER MAP



- [Flash Flood Watch](#)
- [Gale Warning](#)
- [Red Flag Warning](#)
- [Small Craft Advisory](#)
- [Hazardous Seas Warning](#)
- [Lake Wind Advisory](#)
- [Wind Advisory](#)
- [Special Weather Statement](#)
- [Hazardous Weather Outlook](#)
- [Hydrologic Outlook](#)



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Cal OES LAW ENFORCEMENT MISSIONS

Cal OES Law Missions

- **2021-LAW-63010, 05/13/21, 1635 hours:** ATF contacted Cal OES LEB Canine Coordinator AC and requested an HRD K9 for the search of a burned structure in Contra Costa County. Transients were known to stay in the structure. Canine Coordinator AC contacted Contra Costa SO reference the mission; mission filled by WOOF. Mission set for 05/14/21, 0800 hours. **Update:** 05/15/21, 1330 hours, canine resources demobilized, negative search results. **MISSION CLOSED.**
- **2021-LAW-62920, 05/12/21, 1715 hours** West Sacramento PD contacted Region IV AC and requested the use of Solano County SO dive team in reference to a LE sensitive case. Region IV AC contacted Sacramento SO, Yolo SO and Region II ACs and they were all in agreement with this request. West Sacramento will coordinate with Solano County SO directly. Operation is set for Saturday, 05/15/21. **MISSION ONGOING.**
- **2021-LAW-62865, 05/12/21, 1500 hours:** Fresno County Sheriff's Department (FCSD) is requesting on behalf of Bakersfield Police Department (BPD) a Haz/Mat team to assist with a Haz/Mat location in the city of Bakersfield. Kern County Bomb Squad is on scene with BPD. Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department accepted the mission and is responding. This incident is Law Enforcement sensitive. **MISSION ONGOING.**
- **2021-LAW-63085, 05/15/2021, 0025 hours:** Contra Costa County Sheriff requesting four (4) SAR tracking canines for an immediate response reference a missing 68 year-old female with. dementia. CalOES LEB Canine Coordinator is coordinating the mission. 4 canine teams searched the area, with additional area canine teams responding on 05/15/21. No updates. **MISSION ONGOING.**
- **2021-LAW-63095, 05/15/2021, 1223 hours,** IERCC advised of an InReach device activation plotting to the area of Mt. Whitney, Inyo County (36.563176 / -118.278830.) the R/O of the device advised there was a subject experiencing a medical emergency and in need of immediate medical attention. Inyo County Sheriff initiated a SAR response. Inyo County Sheriff requested an aviation asset available for immediate response medevac. CHP H80 unavailable. NWS China Lake VX-31 unavailable; CHP Coastal Air Ops advised CHP Central Air Ops H40 was available. H40 responded to the scene, located the subject, and medevac'd the subject to a local hospital. **MISSION CLOSED.**
- **2021-LAW-63099, 05/15/2021, 1603 hours,** AFRCC issued an ALNOT for an overdue aircraft that departed from Chino Airport (CNO) at 1434 hours. AFRCC activated CAP and a radar team. At 1639 hours, AFRCC advised the plane was located down and involved in a crash northeast of Lake Arrowhead, San Bernardino County. Sheriff/Fire resources responded. Both souls aboard the aircraft are reported to have survived the crash. **MISSION CLOSED.**

Cal OES MISSION TASKINGS

Cal OES Missions

- **2021-TACCOM-0422:** Kit-1 and HQ-10 of Sonim phones to Chico State and the CPUC for their annual Cellular speed test. Typical usage time is 30-45 days.



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We protect lives and property, build capabilities, and support our communities for a resilient California.

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